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SUBJECT: RFE TREATMENT OF POLISH SITUATION

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1. CONGEN HAS DISCUSSED SUBJECT OF RFE COVERAGE OF GIEREK'S JULY 2 SPEECH IN KATOWICE WITH RFE MANAGEMENT. THEY FEEL THAT RFE MUST COMMENT ON SPEECH BUT SAY THEY ARE AWARE OF IMPORTANCE OF TREATING IT WITH GREAT CARE.
2. RFE MANAGEMENT IS AWARE OF KINDS OF CONCLUSIONS RFE LISTENERS MIGHT DRAW FROM RFE SPECULATION ABOUT SOVIET ATTITUDE TOWARD OR INVOLVEMENT IN PRICE RISE IMBROGLIO. THEREFORE POLISH BD WILL CONTINUE TO MAKE NO RPT NO REFERENCE TO USSR IN ITS TREATMENT OF PRICE ISSUES.
3. BEGIN FYI: RFE MANAGEMENT SAYS STAFF OF POLISH BD REALIZES THAT GIEREK IS "BEST POLISH LEADER IN SIGHT." END FYI.
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